



In re Application of:

KOROMO SHIROTA ET AL.

Application No.: 09/677,867

Filed: October 3, 2000

For: INK JET HEAD SUBSTRATE  
HAVING HEAT GENERATING  
RESISTOR AND INK JET HEAD  
AND RECORDING METHOD USING  
SAME

Docket No. 00684.003087.

Examiner: K. Feggins

Group Art Unit: 2861

Date: May 29, 2003

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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above-identified application.

☐ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 34	MINUS	** 26	= 8	x \$9 \$18	\$ 144.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 4	MINUS	*** 4	= 0	x \$42 \$84	\$ 000.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140°/\$280						\$ 000.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$ 144.00

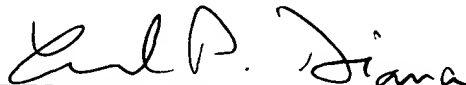
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- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 144.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
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- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Preliminary to continued examination, a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) having been filed on August 21, 2002, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the above-identified application as follows. The claim amendments are reflected in the listing that begins at page 2. The remarks begin at page 8.

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